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August 30, 2012

To: Raffle licensees

Subject: NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGE

WAC 230-11-010 Number tickets consecutively.

We have received a petition for rule change from a volunteer that assists nonprofit organizations with raffles and fund raisers requesting a rule change that would allow charitable and nonprofit organizations to sell raffle tickets that are not consecutively numbered for raffles that take place during the same event at the same location.

The intent of this change is to allow organizations to use up left over theatre style tickets from previous raffles rather than throw them away. This may result in gaps in ticket numbering. This would be limited to shorter events, such as meetings and conferences. This change would not apply to discounted pricing plans or bundled tickets, which require consecutively numbered tickets.

The proposed rule change will be Up for Discussion and Possible Filing at the September 2012 Commission meetings. If it is filed for further discussion, we anticipate Final Action will be taken at the November 2012 Commission meeting (Click here for meeting dates and locations). Visit our website about two weeks before each meeting to confirm meeting dates and start times. Commission meetings are open to the public and you are invited to attend.

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Public Comment: Please forward your comments by September 24, 2012.

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